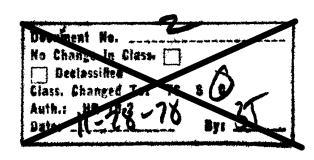
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September 27, 1954

Honorable Bolitha J. Laws Chief Judge United States District Court Washington, D. C.

Dear Judge Laws:



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Mr. an employee of this Agency, has been summoned for jury duty before the United States District Court for the District of Columbia on Thursday,

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This Agency encourages jury service by all officers, senior and junior, as a civic responsibility and requests postponement only where it is actually necessary for the conduct of the Agency mission. Mr. possesses specific qualifications and experience which are required during the next few weeks in the implementation of a new program.

It is our considered opinion that his absence at this time would be a serious detriment to the work of this Agency. We therefore respectfully request a postponement of jury duty for Mr.

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Sincerely yours,

H. GATES LICYE Acting Deputy Director

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